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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

Sir:

Applicants respectfully requests correction of claims 18, 19, and 21 with regard to formal matters without changing the scope of the claims for the above-captioned patent application. The changes required are of a clerical nature and do not add new matter. Specifically, claims 18, 19 and 21 are attached hereto with the appropriate bracketing and underlining along with the other pending claims.

Applicants respectfully submits this amendment is necessary for proper disclosure of the invention and these formal changes in claims 18, 19, and 21 will not require no additional

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least the first and the second fringe to the microprocessor.

67. (Original)The apparatus of claim 57 further comprising:

the programmable logic device containing logic to identify at least a first fringe comprising a selected fringe positioned within a first window in the array and a second fringe comprising a selected fringe positioned within a second window in the array and to identify at least the first and the second fringe to the microprocessor.

## 68. (Original)The apparatus of claim 58 further comprising:

the programmable logic device containing logic to identify at least a first fringe comprising a selected fringe positioned within a first window in the array and a second fringe comprising a selected fringe positioned within a second window in the array and to identify at least the first and the second fringe to the microprocessor.

## Conclusion

No new matter has been added.

Applicants do not believe any fees are due in connection with this submission however, if fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account Number 03-4060 the appropriate amount.

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